ALTERNATE ASSESSMENT HAS CHANGED!!!

NEW ALTERNATE ASSESSMENT OPTIONS

There is now an AIMS-A Level II and an ASAT Level II. This assessment was developed for junior high school (grades 6 to 8) and senior high school (grade 9 to 12) students with significant cognitive disabilities and is based on the articulated Arizona Academic Standards for grades one through three.

The Web-based alternate assessment data entry and validation system formerly known as Alternate Assessment Data System, Internet (AADSI) is changing to incorporate the new Level II assessments and will be available for use on January 5, 2005. Alternate assessment data collection should start at the beginning of the 2004-2005 school year and will require that hard copies of the alternate assessment forms be used to record data.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

One to two representatives, including administrators and special education teachers from school districts, charter entities, private day schools, RTCs, and accommodation schools, who are responsible for providing services to students eligible to participate in alternate assessments.

Due to significant changes in the submission of alternate assessment data this year, **it is extremely important for public education agencies (PEAs) to send participants to the training** in order for them to train other teachers in the PEA on new requirements.

HOW TO REGISTER

Review the scheduled training dates and fill out the attached registration form for all persons who will be attending from your Public Education Agency. *There is a fee for AADSI training. The charge is ten dollars ($10.00) per person, which will be used for lunch and materials.* The attached registration form and a check or purchase order payable to Tucson Unified School District/AADSI PROJECT should be mailed to:

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TUSD/Accountability and Research, C/O Patty Gray-Valdez
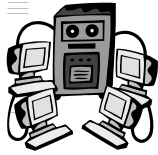442 E. 7th Street, Tucson, AZ 85705
Fax: 520-225-5226

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SCHEDULED TRAINING DATES

Refer to http://edweb.tusd.k12.az.us/exced/aadsi.htm for *current training information* or to download a participant registration form.

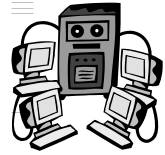| DATE & TIME	SITE	LOCATION
OCTOBER 27, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	SNOWFLAKE	NORTHLAND PIONEER COLLEGE, SILVER CREEK CAMPUS, LEARNING CENTER ROOMS 132 & 133 1610 South Main Street
OCTOBER 28, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	FLAGSTAFF	FLAGSTAFF REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER 3285 East Sparrow Avenue
NOVEMBER 2, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	MESA	MESA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, STUDENT SERVICES CENTER, INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS CENTER 1025 North Country Club Road
NOVEMBER 3, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TEMPE	KYRENE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT, KYRENE DE LOS MANITAS 1201 West Courtney Lane
NOVEMBER 5, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TUCSON	TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, LIRC COMPUTER LAB 2025 East Winsett
NOVEMBER 10, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	PHOENIX	PENDERGAST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT, COPPER KING SCHOOL, COMPUTER FACILITY 10730 West Campbell Avenue
NOVEMBER 16, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	FLAGSTAFF	FLAGSTAFF REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER 3285 East Sparrow Avenue
NOVEMBER 23, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	CASA GRANDE	CASA GRANDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT, CACTUS MIDDLE SCHOOL 1220 East Kortsen
NOVEMBER 29, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TUCSON	TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, LIRC COMPUTER LAB 2025 East Winsett
DECEMBER 1, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOMBSTONE	TOMBSTONE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, WALTER J. MEYER SCHOOL 411 North 9th Street
DECEMBER 2, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	THATCHER	THATCHER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, THATCHER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 1386 North 4th Avenue
DECEMBER 8, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	KINGMAN	KINGMAN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT TBA
DECEMBER 9, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	YUMA	YUMA COUNTY TECHNICAL CONSORTIUM 596 S. 4th Avenue
DECEMBER 14, 2004 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	SCOTTSDALE	SCOTTSDALE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT TBA
JANUARY 10, 2005 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TUCSON	TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, LIRC COMPUTER LAB 2025 East Winsett

AADSI
ALTERNATE ASSESSMENT DATA SYSTEM, INTERNET

~PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION FORM~

TRAINING INFORMATION: http://edweb.tusd.k12.az.us/exced/aadsi.htm
EMAIL: mailto:aadsi@edtech.tusd.k12.az.us PHONE: 520-225-5414

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PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____

TITLE: _____

PUBLIC EDUCATION AGENCY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

_____
(CITY)   (ZIP)

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR EACH PERSON YOU WISH TO REGISTER
- YOU MAY REGISTER UP TO TWO (2) PEOPLE -

TRAINING LOCATION AND DATE YOU WISH TO ATTEND: _____

NAME	POSITION	EMAIL	PHONE
1.			
2.			

_____ CHECK ENCLOSED (PAYABLE TO TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT/AADSI PROJECT)

_____ PURCHASE ORDER ENCLOSED (PAYABLE TO TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT/AADSI PROJECT)

PLEASE MAIL PAYMENT TO:
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SIGNATURE   DATE